AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Please insert new Figure 3, enclosed.

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<u>REMARKS</u>

Claims 1-8 are now pending in the application. Claims 9-13 have been withdrawn from consideration. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider and withdraw the rejection(s) in view of the amendments and remarks contained herein.

DRAWINGS

The drawings stand objected to as not showing every feature specified in the claims. Specifically, this Objection asserts that the EL display of claim 6, the luminescent part comprising a transparent electrode layer an EL layer, and a backside layer of claim 7, and the overcoat of Claim 8 should be shown. Applicants respectfully assert that these features are not required to be illustrated in the drawings, since their illustration is not needed for a clear and complete understanding of the invention. Nevertheless, in order to further prosecution of this application, Applicants have included herewith new Figure 3, which shows the identified features. No new matter has been added.

REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 112

Claim 2 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicant regards as the invention. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Applicants have amended Claim 2 which Applicants believe overcomes this objection.

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REJECTION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 102

Claims 1-8 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Eida (U.S. Pat. No. 5,909,081). This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Independent Claim 1 recites, in part: "any one of the color conversion layers have a concave surface." In contrast, Eida et al. does not disclose or suggest any color conversion layer with a concave surface. All of the color conversion layers identified in this rejection have only flat planar surfaces. See, for example, Figures 5 to 7 of Eida et al. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully believe that Claim 1, is patentable over Eida et al. Furthermore, since each of the remaining pending claims depends from Claim 1, either directly or indirectly, they are likewise patentable for at least the reason discussed above.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that all of the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw all presently outstanding rejections. It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the outstanding Office Action and the present application is in condition for allowance. Thus, prompt and favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the

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